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## 1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, Barcaldine (R), 2004-2008

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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
<b>ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter</b>					
Unemployed persons	no	49	44	40	35
Unemployment rate	%	2.4	2.0	1.8	1.5
<b>TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June</b>					
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	411	478
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	2.2	3.3
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	5,443	6,870
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	1367	1,342
Taxable individuals (individuals)	\$m	-	-	2.2	3.3
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	49,742	44,397
Net tax	\$m	-	-	15.1	12.2
Average net tax	\$	-	-	11,698	9,117
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	24	21
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	1,778	1,820
Taxable and non-taxable individuals (individuals)	\$m	-	-	2.4	3.4
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	36,427	34,536
<b>SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS &amp; ALLOWANCES - at 30 June</b>					
Age Pension - Centres	\$m	263	286	308	324
Age Pension - DVA	\$m	0	0	0	0
Carers Payment	\$m	0	0	0	0
Disability Support Pension	\$m	0	0	0	0
Newstart Allowance	\$m	0	0	0	0
Pensioner Payment - Single	\$m	0	0	0	0
Youth Allowances	\$m	0	0	0	0
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	no	no	no	no
<b>ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June</b>					
Wages and salary earners	no	1,296	1,277	1,242	1,285
Wage and salary income	\$m	37.0	36.9	41.1	43.0
Average wage and salary income	\$	29,242	31,224	33,080	34,526
Own unincorporated business earners	no	747	741	727	706
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	4.1	4.8	10.9	6.4
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	8,205	10,522	16,677	12,700
Investment earners	no	967	980	983	1,050
Investment income	\$m	4.7	4.5	4.5	4.8
Average Investment Income	\$	3,025	3,627	4,382	8,335
Supervision and emolument earners	no	27	27	27	29
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.4
Average Supervision and emolument income	\$	9,811	11,022	14,568	14,708
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	120	127	130	174
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.3
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1,013	3,294	1,252	1,747
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	47.4	51.0	56.8	62.8
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June</b>					
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	138	142	135	120
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	143	132	120	121
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	168	178	172	174
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	116	120	112	116
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	86	78	73	62
Males - 65 years and over	no	23	30	26	29
Males - Total	no	686	680	641	647
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	120	115	123	133
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	140	136	140	136
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	117	114	114	114
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	101	94	113	125
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	67	68	61	65
Females - 65 years and over	no	20	25	20	20
Females - Total	no	629	597	600	640
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	267	257	258	256
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	301	311	306	305
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	341	345	320	333
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	211	214	220	241
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	104	104	104	104
Persons - 65 years and over	no	36	45	41	40
Persons - Total	no	1,207	1,277	1,241	1,267
<b>WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June</b>					
Managers and Administrators	no	74	85	93	87
Professionals	no	163	152	158	177
Associate Professionals	no	44	44	44	44
Technicians and Related Workers	no	148	148	128	103
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	14	16	15	5
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	204	210	212	210
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	70	41	41	47
Elementary Production and Transport Workers	no	108	107	106	114
Elementary Labourers and Related Workers	no	321	328	319	311
Non-salaried workers	no	113	125	124	124
Total wage and salary earners	no	1,263	1,272	1,239	1,287
<b>ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 29 June</b>					
Net worth per household	\$1000	na	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	na	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	\$1000	na	-	-	-
Asset to debt ratio	%	na	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	na	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	na	-	-	-
<b>COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS</b>					
Number of Businesses - at 30 June					
Non-employing businesses	no	340	342	327	320
Employing businesses, 1 to 4 employees	no	125	147	144	153
Employing businesses, 5 or more employees	no	81	81	81	90
Total businesses	no	570	576	552	567
Business Entries - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	no	63	45	48	39
Employing business entries	no	21	21	21	20
Total business entries	no	84	66	66	60
Business Exits - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business exits	no	60	42	40	36
Employing business exits	no	15	3	21	12
Total business exits	no	81	45	60	48
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June					
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no	375	360	381	378
Manufacturing	no	24	21	18	17
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	0	0	0	0
Construction	no	30	36	30	28
Wholesale, retail trade	no	24	24	24	24
Retail trade	no	24	24	15	27
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no	12	12	21	18
Transport, postal and warehousing	no	2	2	21	24
Communication services	no	3	6	6	3
Finance and insurance	no	3	6	3	0
Property and business services	no	21	20	20	20
Education, health and community services	no	0	0	0	0
Health and community services	no	6	6	6	5
Cultural and recreational services	no	6	6	6	6
Residential other services	no	2	2	0	0
Total businesses	no	570	576	552	567



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**Table 2: Population and People**

		2004	2005
<b>ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June</b>			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	146	153
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	147	133
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	118	126
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	98	100
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	110	119
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	107	103
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	127	112
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	149	147
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	144	144
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	123	122
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	107	119
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	88	92
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	98	97
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	79	87
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	61	64
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	39	39
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	11	11
Males - 85 years and over	no.	17	17
Males - Total	no.	1 769	1 785
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	129	113
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	129	143
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	120	116
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	102	100
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	94	99
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	113	117
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	130	118
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	133	138
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	138	141
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	105	111
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	104	102
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	93	91
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	83	90
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	66	68
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	46	36
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	36	43
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	30	26
Females - 85 years and over	no.	23	28
Females - Total	no.	1 674	1 680
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	275	266
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	276	276
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	238	242

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	200	200
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	204	218
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	220	220
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	257	230
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	282	285
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	282	285
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	228	233
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	211	221
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	181	183
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	181	187
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	145	155
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	107	100
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	75	82
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	41	37
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	40	45
Persons - Total	no.	3 443	3 465

**POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June**

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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**ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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**OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006**

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

**SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006**

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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**LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

**OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006**

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

#### **HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

#### **FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006**

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

#### **INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006**

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006**

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

#### **PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006**

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

#### **UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006**

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

#### **ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006**

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

#### **BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December**

Births	no.	47	45
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Total fertility rate	rate	2.0	1.9
Deaths	no.	26	25
Standardised death rate	rate	8.6	8.4

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<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
152	154	150
129	132	126
134	115	108
106	104	95
115	107	98
96	102	112
105	105	100
138	139	125
140	141	149
125	130	135
125	127	129
97	107	105
97	78	83
103	121	106
65	56	66
40	58	58
18	15	23
11	9	7
1 796	1 800	1 775
111	85	93
134	132	114
118	119	112
102	104	101
100	94	96
106	111	107
115	103	104
139	137	130
138	142	138
116	111	117
97	100	100
92	88	87
99	103	103
70	70	67
37	41	55
37	40	33
28	35	31
27	22	31
1 666	1 637	1 619
263	239	243
263	264	240
252	234	220

208	208	196
215	201	194
202	213	219
220	208	204
277	276	255
278	283	287
241	241	252
222	227	229
189	195	192
196	181	186
173	191	173
102	97	121
77	98	91
46	50	54
38	31	38
3 462	3 437	3 394

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 11.5 - -  
 7.9 - -  
 8.1 - -  
 4.6 - -

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19.9 - -  
1.7 - -

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821 - -  
1 205 - -

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336 - -  
77 - -  
30 - -  
9 - -  
833 - -

2 550 - -  
483 - -  
1 718 - -  
1 077 - -

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41.0 - -  
22.8 - -  
36.2 - -

36.6 - -  
22.7 - -  
7.5 - -  
1.5 - -  
8.8 - -

32.4 - -  
14.6 - -  
1.2 - -  
48.2 - -

2.1	2.3	2.5
23	24	23
7.6	7.3	6.9



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**Table 3: Industry**

		2004	2005
<b>BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June</b>			
Private sector houses	no.	3	5
Total dwelling units	no.	3	7
Value of private sector houses	\$m	0.4	0.6
Value of new residential building	\$m	0.4	1.0
Value of total residential building	\$m	0.5	1.1
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.5	0.9
Value of total building	\$m	1.0	2.0
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	139.9	123.7
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March</b>			
<b>Number by type of vehicle</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	1 150	1 214
Campervans	no.	5	5
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 035	1 035
Light rigid trucks	no.	14	19
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	279	269
Articulated trucks	no.	47	47
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	3
Buses	no.	22	20
Motorcycles	no.	66	63
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	2 621	2 676
<b>Rate per 1,000 population</b>			
Passenger vehicles	no.	334	350
Campervans	no.	1	1
Light commercial vehicles	no.	301	299
Light rigid trucks	no.	4	5
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	81	78
Articulated trucks	no.	14	14
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	6	6
Motorcycles	no.	19	18
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	761	772
<b>Age of vehicle</b>			
Less than 5 years old	no.	783	771
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	643	685
10 years or older	no.	1 191	1 217
<b>Number by type of fuel</b>			
Petrol	no.	1 348	1 382

Diesel	no.	1 254	1 274
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	19	19

**GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION \* - year ended 30 June**

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

**AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES \* - year ended 30 June**

**Total area**

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

**Total number**

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

\* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
2	6	3
2	6	3
0.3	2.7	0.9
0.3	2.7	0.9
0.4	3.2	1.4
0.1	0.2	0.1
0.5	3.4	1.4
167.8	447.6	304.7
1 261	1 277	1 288
5	5	4
1 110	1 106	1 163
22	23	30
278	285	286
46	54	49
3	3	4
22	17	17
75	84	74
2 823	2 854	2 915
364	372	379
1	1	1
321	322	343
6	7	9
80	83	84
13	16	14
1	1	1
6	5	5
22	24	22
815	830	859
825	831	830
748	766	725
1 244	1 252	1 353
1 444	1 450	1 452

1 361	1 392	1 444
18	13	20

2.7	-	-
97.0	-	-
9.9	-	-
109.6	-	-

4 931 119.2	-	-
47.4	-	-
177.6	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
177.6	-	-

419 829	-	-
0	-	-
420 017	-	-
0	-	-

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**Table 4: Environment and Energy**

	2004	2005
<b>LAND AREA</b>		
Land area	km2	-
<b>WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS</b>		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
	-	-	53 650.0
4 931	-	-	
0	-	-	
np	-	-	
np	-	-	
10 627	-	-	
0.0	-	-	